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TITLE: STRUCTURE FOR FASTENING ILLUMINATION TUBES OF A CLUSTER LAMP

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In conjunction with the filing of the present application, and prior to an initial Official Action on this matter, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Preliminary Amendment: SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

In Paragraph [0002], please amend the paragraph as follows:

A cluster lamp consists of a number of illumination tubes, each containing a light-emitting body. The cluster lamp is widely used for a decorative purpose; nevertheless it poses a space problem. In ~~another~~ other words, the conventional cluster lamp ~~can not~~ cannot be easily stored or packaged for shipment in view of the fact that the illumination tubes are fixedly fastened ~~with~~ to a mounting base of the conventional cluster lamp.

In Paragraph [0008], please amend the paragraph as follows:

FIG. 3 shows an exploded perspective view of the fastening structure of the first preferred embodiment of the present invention.

In Paragraph [0009], please amend the paragraph as follows:

FIG. 4 shows a longitudinal sectional view of the fastening structure of the first preferred embodiment of the present invention ~~in combination~~.

In Paragraph [0011], please amend the paragraph as follows:

FIG. 6 shows an exploded perspective view of the fastening structure of a second preferred embodiment of the present invention.